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SENATE ADOPTS CLOTURE RULE

WHICH MEANS NO SENATOR CAN SPEAK MORE THAN AN HOUR ON THE PEACE TREATY. SPEEDING ON RESERVATION PROGRAM. DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS JOIN IN CLOTURE.

Washington, Nov. 15.—A cloture to shut down debate on the Peace treaty was passed in the Senate today. Both Republicans and Democrats voted for the measure which means that until the Peace Treaty is adopted or disposed of no Senator can speak more than an hour. This is expected to bring final action on the measure within a week.

The vote on the adoption of the cloture was 78 to 16.

This action on the part of the Senate on the adoption of the cloture rule is the first time in the history of that body.

It has been invoked before in the House. It is done solely to speed up the Reservation program in the Senate. The next resolution on the list of the committees to be adopted was that of the "Mandates." This was done without roll call or debate.

The text of the resolution follows: "No mandate shall be accepted by the United States under article 22, part 1 or any other provision of the Treaty of peace with Germany except with the consent of the Congress of the United States. In taking up the various provision of the treaty reservations the right of control of this government over domestic was by a vote of 52 to 43. A substitute to reject the resolution introduced by Senator Hitchcock was defeated. The committee's reservation clause on the Monroe Doctrine was adopted by a vote of 55 to 53.

MARKETS

COTTON

The cotton market continued active and irregular during the early trading. The opening was 11 points higher on December but generally 25 to 58 points lower with January selling off to 35.10 right after the call under renewed liquidation. Cotton closed weak, December 36.35, January 34.75, March 33.00 May 32.03, July 31.30.

New York, Nov. 15.—Cotton futures opened easy with Dec. 36.80, June 35.30, March 33.75, May 32.60, July 31.90.

Spots Wilson market 37 1-2.

STOCKS

New York, Nov. 15.—Declines outnumbered the gains at the irregular opening of the stock market today. Over night industrial news having a bad effect on sentiment. The railroad shares were the only issues to display strength and yesterday's movement in that quarter was reversed. The equipments, steels, oils and motors were again most susceptible to pressure, declining 2 1-2 points. General Motors made an early advance of almost three points. This was followed by a general reversal and declines during the first half hour.

Eastern Carolina League Adopts Five.

Goldsboro, Nov. 14.—At an enthusiastic meeting held here this afternoon by representatives from Wilmington, Fayetteville, Goldsboro, Wilson and Tarboro, it was unanimously agreed that franchise be granted to those towns in the Eastern Carolina Baseball Association. Owing to a condition which developed at the meeting here today the granting of the sixth franchise was held open until a future meeting when said franchise will be awarded to some town in Eastern North Carolina, and a permanent organization perfected.

MINERS REFUSE WAGE PROPOSAL

And Also Failed to Agree on a National Scale of Wages Contradiction

OF THE EARLIER REPORTS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—After a long and acrimonious wrangle today representatives of the coal and mine operators in conference here agreed to table the report of the committee for a settlement of the wage question and also failed to agree on a national scale.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The acceptance without qualification by the mining workers of Secretary Wilson's proposal for a nation wide scale was agreed upon by the operators and John L. Lewis acting president of the United Mine Workers of America.

Speaking on behalf of the operatives outside of the central competitive field to negotiate their own deal of the South Western Interstate Coal Operatives Association who proposed a return to the old policy which allowed the operators and the miners of the central competitive field to negotiate their own differences.

Lukens denies charges of bad faith on the part of the coal strikers and William Green Secretary of the Mine Workers took exception to President Wilson's statement that 60 per cent increase in the coal miners wages was impossible. He said that the Federal government should see that the miners received an increase of wages as would justify an American standard of living.

AN APPRECIATION

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 15, 1919. Whereas the Rev. W. A. Stambury has served the full four years, allowed by his Church, and it becomes necessary for him to remove to another charge;

Therefore, we, the members of the Wilson Ministers' Association, do wish to put on record our appreciation of the untiring devotion and unselfish service that has marked his ministry in this place; as well as our love and appreciation for him as a man, and as a fellow labourer in the service of the Master. We wish for him God's richest blessing in the new field to which he is about to be sent.

Signed,

Morrison Bethea, Chmn.
James E. Stuart,
J. M. Mercer
E. L. Fleming, Committee

Omsk in the Hands of the Bolsheviks

London, Eng., Nov. 15.—Omsk the capital of the All Russian Government has been occupied by the Bolsheviks according to a dispatch from Moscow.

Taken to Children's Home.

Mr. Leonard, the Welfare man for Wilson county managed to secure the two Tedden children referred to in yesterday's Times as having run into the woods when he approached their home for like chickens it was necessary to coop them and get them in the night, and the children whose names are Elbert and Ellen about 6 and 8 years of age, respectively, will be taken today to Greensboro by Mrs. George Stanton. They are the children of Mrs. Cora Tedden.

ICE THIS MORNING.

Winter seems to have set in, for two cold mornings have so far registered thermometer below freezing. There was thin ice yesterday morning and this morning.

TIME EXTENDED TO DECEMBER FIRST

For the Prosecution of the American Cotton Association Campaign

COUNTIES ORGANIZE FAST

Letters coming into campaign headquarters of the American Cotton Association from all sections of the State indicate that it will be impossible for the counties to complete the memberships drive by the end of this week, and for this reason, and in response to the requests of a number of county chairmen that more time be given for the work since it will be impossible to complete the job by Saturday, it has been decided to extend the period of the campaign to December 1.

This does not mean that those counties which already have the work of soliciting members well under way should let up, because it is desirable that as many counties as possible complete their work by the end of this week, in order that efforts and attention may be concentrated on those counties which are not so well provided with a strong organization. It is believed this will result in a much more effective campaign than could possibly be put on in the shorter period of time.

The workers in the field point out that the larger part of the solicitation for this campaign has to be done in the rural districts, and that it takes much more time to see the people in the country than it does in the cities. The canvass of one block in a city or town will result in the interview of more people than the canvass of a square mile in the country. For this reason, if for no other, it is going to be impossible to complete the job in one week. So in response to the demands of the situation, and the requests of the field men and canvassers as well as the county chairmen of many counties, the headquarters has decided to extend the time for the campaign until the first of December.

It is expected that some of the better organized counties where conditions are most favorable will be able to report good long lists of members of the first next week but in a number of the bigger cotton counties it has been found necessary to postpone the drive because of local conditions. These have been reported to headquarters, and since there is no objection to the postponement, other than the delay in the formation of the permanent organization, the officials of these counties have been advised to postpone.

Many requests are coming in for official receipts. The canvassers have not been provided with these blanks but upon the receipt of the pledge card by headquarters the official receipt of the association will be mailed out to every member. The canvassers, as a rule, will be local people, known to the people whom they solicit and where checks are not given for membership, showing for what the check was written, the solicitors may be trusted until the receipt can be mailed out from headquarters.

U. S. Judge Refuses to Release Large Amount of Whiskey in Bond.

New York, Nov. 14.—Federal Judge John G. Rose, of Baltimore, late today dismissed an application of the Maryland Distillery Company for an injunction which would have released for sale large quantities of whiskey now in bond. Judge Rose was the third Federal jurist to sustain the prohibition law here today in suits brought before them.

FAIR TONIGHT AND WARMER

Forecast for North Carolina: Fair tonight and slightly warmer in the extreme west portion. Sunday fair and somewhat warmer, with moderate north and northeast winds.

2000 MEMBERS OF THE I. W. W.

Threaten Invasion of Spokane and Members American Legion Sworn in

TO MEET AND STOP THEM

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 14.—Members of the American Legion here were being sworn in as special policemen this evening to meet what was declared to be an invasion of one thousand to two thousand members of the Industrial Workers of the World, due to arrive here tonight from Montana and other parts of the Northwest.

Arrangements were being made with officers at Fort George Wright here for arms and ammunition for the American Legion deputy sheriffs, who were to be held in readiness for immediate action. Major Thomas G. Aston commander of the third battalion of the National Guard, announced he had telegraphed Adjutant General Moss recommending that the two local companies of the guardsmen be mobilized.

All I. W. W. suspects are to be arrested according to an agreement reached at a conference here late today between Commander Tilsley of the Department of Public Safety, Chief of Police Weir, Sheriff Reid and other officers and representatives of the American Legion. After jails have been filled, prisoners will be held elsewhere under guard.

National Troops Guard Capitol.

Denver, Col., Nov. 13.—As a measure of precautions during the present period of unrest, a detail of National Guardsmen armed with rifles and bayonets was placed on guard at Colorado's state house today. Fifteen men, under Major Marshall were assigned to the duty. The request for the guard came from Governor Shoup's office.

Rid Baltimore Plant of Radicals. Baltimore, Md., Nov. 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—Loyal employers of the Baltimore Dry Docks and shipbuilding company took a hand a "little boring from within" on the Reds in their ranks today with the result that leaders of the workmen feel sure that any so called radical leaders will be absent after tomorrow—which is pay day.

After a red circular urging the workmen to rise and take possession of the plant for themselves, had been found there, the plant superintendents at the noon hour today called the workmen together and laid the situation before them. The men pledged themselves to rid the plant of Reds without outside aid, and in the next few hours the vigilanders had rounded up all the red propaganda literature which had been circulated among their fellows. The circular headed "Your Shop" bore this inscription:

"This is propaganda leaflet Number 3 issued by the communist party of America 1219 Blue Avenue, Chicago."

Quantities of the inflammatory documents were turned in to company headquarters and destroyed and heads of the workmen's committee informed the management that they would undertake to have their ranks cleared of Reds when the whistle blows for tomorrow's closing.

Troops Mobilizing at Spokane.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 14.—Orders for the mobilization of the two companies of the National Guardsmen were issued tonight by Major Thomas C. Aston.

I. W. W. Trouble at Mining Town Now Idle.

Tacoma, Wash., Nov. 14.—Reports were received by the authorities here tonight that concentration of I. W. W. was being attempted at Cumberland a mining village in King county that point being chosen for its isolation and the fact that the miners at present are not working.

DEMANDS OF 4 BROTHERHOODS

LUDWIG MARTIN SOVIET AMBASSADOR

To the United States Declared in Contempt by Committee Investigating Radical

ACTIVITIES IN AMERICA

New York, Nov. 15.—Ludwig C. K. Martin ambassador to the United States from the Soviet Government in Russia was today declared in contempt by the joint legislative committee investigating radical agitation in New York State. A warrant for his arrest will be issued.

Cloture Rule up in Senate Today.

Washington, Nov. 14.—Success for the movement to shut down the peace treaty debate by a cloture seemed likely tonight to remain in doubt until the clerks call the roll on the question tomorrow in the Senate.

Thirty Republicans signed the petition for cloture, and party leaders declared that more would vote for it. There was no doubt, leaders asserted, that the Republican side of the chamber would contribute more than its share of the two-thirds majority necessary to invoke the cloture rule.

MAYOR'S COURT.

There were only two cases before Mayor Hill today—J. K. Watson, drunk, and disorderly \$14.25 and Tom Corey, Drunk on the street, \$9.25.

LICENSE TO MARRY.

Mr. John R. Dildy registrar of deeds, has issued a marriage license to Mr. Callie Taylor of Toisnot township son of Mr. Baker Taylor to Miss Annie Bass, daughter of Mr. James Bass.

SITUATION IN COAL FIELDS

Charleston, West Va., Nov. 14.—The coal strike situation in the southern mining fields of West Virginia, was in a state of "orderly chaos," according to a statement issued last night at the headquarters of the Kanawha Coal Operators Association.

While miners are reported to have resumed operations in some districts, in others where men were at work yesterday, walkouts occurred again today. Five "unauthorized" strikes were in progress in the Kanawha fields, preventing the resumption of operations in thirteen mines.

Reports to the association showed that less than 50 per cent of the Kanawha mines were operating and these had a small working force. At several mines where the normal working forces number several hundred less than fifty men reported for work, it was stated.

Two large mines at Leevale, in the Big Coal River district, which were operating yesterday, were forced to shut down today when the several hundred miners voted to walk out. Attempts of union leaders to put the men back to work failed.

The situation at Blair, in the Little Coal River District, was reported to be serious. Six mines were closed in this section by an "unauthorized" strike of more than six hundred miners. They were reported to be in open "rebellion" and preventing other men from entering the mines.

At Sharlow, in the Coal River District, thirty miners voted to remain on strike; and preventing three mines from resuming. The miners are reported to have told the operators that the "union officers had their strike, now they would have one of their own."

REMAIN UNSETTLED. DIRECTOR GENERAL HINES AND THE HEADS OF THE BROTHERHOOD POSTPONED THEIR CONFERENCE INDEFINITELY.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Hope for an immediate settlement of demands of the four great brotherhoods vanished when further sessions of the conference between director general Hines and the Brotherhoods was postponed indefinitely.

Races Will be kept Separate.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—By a vote of 142 to 12 the House today refused to incorporate a provision in the Esch Railroad bill that will compel "Jim Crow" cars on Southern roads to separate negro from white passengers. The amendment was opposed by Representative Madden a Republican of Illinois but was voted down by many Northern Republicans co-operating with the Democrats on the provision.

Prominent banker is Dead.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 15.—Major Henry L. Higginson a prominent banker of this city is dead. -- 15 ltd

INFANT DIES

The three year old child of Mrs. G. W. Morris passed away this morning.

DENIKINE SEEMS CUT OFF

London, Nov. 15.—The eastern coast of the Black Sea from Yellendzhik to Sochy has been seized by an insurgent army of 70,000 men operating in the rear of General Denikine, the anti-Bolshevik leader, according to a despatch from Warsaw. A Soviet government has been formed the despatch adds.

Argument Over Automobiles

While in the pool room of Mr. L. A. Barnes last night, Messrs. Ira Moore of Portsmouth who is in city on a visit to his people and Doane Morris became involved in discussion over the respective merits of automobiles, and the discussion led to an argument when Mr. Moore struck Morris and knocked him down. It is said that he did this twice. Moore gave bond for his appearance before Mayor Hill.

PUTTING UP FOREFIT MONEY

Mr. Homer Anderson who has returned from the meeting in Goldsboro last evening of representatives from several towns in North Carolina gathered for the purpose of forming a baseball league in Eastern North Carolina says that the towns are putting up their forfeits of a thousand dollars and that the indications are that a string league will be formed. There are now teams in the league, with a number of other towns clamoring for admission. As to which one will be admitted has not been so far determined.

PUTTING ON SALE.

Messrs. Robert E. Houston and M. C. Stockhouse of Rocky Mount, were in the city today putting on a sale for the First National Auction Company of Fayetteville and Rocky Mount of the Amos Walston Home Place. Their advertisements will appear in the Daily and Semi-Weekly Times.

A BROKEN LEG.

Mr. J. D. Stephenson who drives a truck for Mr. Woodard Godwin suffered a broken leg while prizing up the truck a piece of timber falling on his leg and breaking it. He was taken to a local hospital and he is getting on very nicely and are pleased to learn.